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## Grand Jury Calls Court House Floor A Fire Trap

### KIMMEY DORSEY IS HONORED BY TRUCK TRAILERS

T. K. Dorsey, executive vice president of Dorsey Trailers, Inc., of Elba, was elected Southwestern Vice-President of the Truck-Trailer Manufacturers Association at the 18th Annual Convention at Hollywood Beach Hotel, Hollywood, Fla., Jan. 25-28.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey attended along with Mrs. C. E. Dorsey, Sr., senior vice president, and Mrs. C. E. Dorsey, Jr., secretary, of Dorsey Trailers.

The association has a membership of 200 manufacturers of truck trailers.



GOV. PATTERSON'S CABINET—Shown here taking their oath of office are the men Gov. John Patterson has picked to help him run the State government during the next four years. From left are Mrs. Mabel Amos, recording secretary in the governor's office, who administered the oath; Harry N. Cook, press secretary; John C. Curry, commissioner; Ralph Smith Jr., legal adviser; Maj. Gen. Henry V. Graham, adjutant general; Joseph O. Robertson, executive secretary; Ralph R. Williams, industrial relations director; Earl McGowan, State Docks director; Claude D. Kelley, Meriwether, finance director; Joe S. Foster, civil defense director; Floyd H. Mann, public safety director; Edson L. Rinkhart, insurance commissioner; Olin B. Brooks, labor commissioner; Roy Marcato, state publicity director; Sam Englehardt, highway director; and Leland Jones, industrial development director.

### RETAIL SALES IN THIS COUNTY SHOW BIG GAIN

University, Ala. — Sales at retail in Alabama retail concerns in November last year, were substantially ahead of November, 1957, according to the U. S. Bureau of Business Research.

In Coffee county, sales at retail concerns only showed a 0.5 percent decline from October to November, and a 10.0 percent increase from November, 1957, to November 1958.

Bureau publication "Alabama Retail Trade" reports that only food and automotive sales, the two largest categories, showed gains during the month, but that these were offset by losses in the remaining groups.

Compared with the same period a year ago, November sales were substantially higher with six of the 67 counties reporting gains.

Largest year to year gains continued to be recorded in the lumber and building materials and hardware and farm implement categories. Gasoline service station sales were next in order with a 22 percent increase over November 1957, and the "all other" group made a 21 percent gain.

General stores selling food and gasoline had a slight decline and automotive sales remained lower. Drug stores sales nearly equaled last year's record level.

Jefferson County, on the November to November comparison, with a quarter of total sales in the state, showed an increase of nearly 11 percent. Montgomery County showed sales were up 21 percent and Mobile county had an increase of less than one percent. The gain for the State over the year was approximately 10 percent.

### Disagreeable Rain Totals Only Six Inches So Far

The best way to describe the present extended rainy season is that appearances are deceiving, according to J. Drayden Smith who keeps weather records as a hobby.

Although there has been almost constant rain, with low temperatures since Friday, last week, only six inches of rain had fallen by Wednesday morning, this week, according to Mr. Smith.

### TIGERS DEFEAT DOTHAN 58-43 LOSE TO OZARK

The Elba High Cadets journeyed to Dothan Friday and walked away with a surprising 58-43 victory over the Dothan Tigers. It was the third match of the season for the two, and each team had won one.

Dothan got off to a fast start holding a slight 42-22 lead at the half. The second half told the story, though as the Tigers, it was the third match of the season for the two, and each team had won one.

Four Elba players scored in the double columns as the Tigers put on a fine team effort. Nelson and Free tied for high with 12 each while Dyess and Kelley had 10 each to tie for second. Chandler had 7, Jacobs 8, and Matthews with 2 to aid the victory.

The Elba Bees were not so fortunate, as they succumbed to a fierce attack by the Dothan Bees and lost 67-41.

Ronnie Young paved the way with 19 points and Gary Hudson added 14. Other scorers for the Elba Bees were Sanders 6, and Smith 2.

Elba lost a close 40-37 contest to Ozark in Ozark Monday to give the locals nine defeats and 11 victories for this season.

### TROY TO BE HOST

Mrs. H. L. Grimes and Mrs. Edlow Bryan attended a meeting in Troy of the Troy unit of the American Legion Auxiliary Monday when it was decided that Troy would be host to the Ninth area, of the Legion Auxiliary, at the Spring Conference April 12. Mrs. Grimes is Ninth Area president and Mrs. Bryan is president of the Elba unit.

### ATTEND OZARK MEET

Mrs. H. L. Grimes of Elba was featured speaker at the regular monthly meeting of the Ozark unit, American Legion Auxiliary, Tuesday evening. She was accompanied to Ozark by Mrs. James Boswell, vice-president of the local unit.

## Road Building Plan Begun By Legislature

### Read Clipper as Boy



Montgomery — Warning of a break-down in highway construction, Gov. John Patterson this week asked a Special Legislative Session to authorize the issuance of \$60 million in revenue bonds for a comprehensive four-year highway program.

"We are duty bound to give the people a road program, and that is the kind of program that I present to you today," the governor told legislators at the opening session here Tuesday. He called his highway program "an investment in the future."

Gov. Patterson called the Special Session because of the urgent need for State funds to match Federal funds already available.

During the next four years, the governor said, Alabama would be allocated more than \$228 million in Federal funds for road construction. "In order to take advantage of this tremendous opportunity to build highways and roads for the future, the State of Alabama must provide approximately \$99 million for matching purposes," Gov. Patterson said.

### DEVANE AT BARCELONA

Wendell E. Devane, seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Devane of route 5, Elba, is serving aboard the heavy cruiser USS Des Moines which visited Barcelona, Spain, Jan. 14, for a nine-day visit. The 21,000 ton cruiser, flagship of the U. S. Sixth Fleet, is operating with the fleet in the Mediterranean area.

### SCOUT WEEK TO BE OBSERVED NEXT WEEK

The Boy Scouts of America, Troop 37 of Elba, will join in a nationwide celebration of National Boy Scout Week February 7-13 marking the 48th Anniversary.

The first Boy Scouts were in England, and were formed by Lord Baden-Powell, an English general, who first used Scouting techniques to teach soldiers survival. Scouting was introduced in America in 1910.

Plans for the local observance include a radio program, an assembly program at the high school auditorium, and a banquet Tuesday night, Feb. 10.

### NEW CHURCH OPENS

The new Babylon Church building will be opened Sunday, Feb. 8, with morning and evening services and dinner on the ground. Services will be conducted by Rev. James Adcock and Dicky Adcock.

### MAKES DEAN'S LIST

Kenneth Dyess, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dyess Sr., of Elba, was one of 18 students at Troy State College to make the fall quarter dean's list, according to Miss Bess McConn, registrar.

## Contract For New Store Let to Nasco

### COUNCIL NAMES MRS. WILKERSON AS CITY CLERK

Mrs. Estelle Wilkerson, widow of the late John C. Wilkerson, was named Elba City Clerk by City Council Monday evening to succeed A. G. Jones who resigned at the previous meeting.

Mrs. Wilkerson is the former Estelle Danley whose ancestors settled the present site of Danley's Cross Roads. Her husband, a pharmacist, died in 1935. She was employed for 16 years in the office of Enterprise Motor Co., and has recently been employed by Elba Motor Co.

Mr. Jones, who has been City Clerk since October, 1958, resigned after the salary for the job was reduced by City Council from \$4,800 a year to \$3,600, the figure at which Mrs. Wilkerson was named to serve.

### Named To Board

City Council also Monday named Drexel Cook and Paul Windham as members of the Hospital Board to succeed Dr. L. M. Johnson, who removed to Dothan, and Houghton Ben Larkins, who removed to Decatur.

Fred Rainer and Dr. G. F. Miles were appointed to vacancies on the City Recreation Board.

Council directed that an electric highway sign be erected at the corner of Simms and Clanton Streets.

### UPLAND COTTON COST SUPPORTS SET IN COFFEE

The price support levels for the 1959 crop of upland cotton, applicable to Middling 7-8 inch cotton, gross weight, at average location, were announced this week by Lester Gunter, chairman, County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee. The national support rate is 30.40 cents per pound for cotton from farms where the Choice (A) farm allotment is in effect, and 24.70 cents per pound for cotton from the Choice (B) allotment farms. It is expected that the local rates, which will be announced later, will vary from the average rates about the same as during the current season.

The Chairman's announcement followed the January 30, 1959 determination by Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Tamm that prices for the 1959 crop of upland cotton would be supported at 80 percent of the estimated cotton parity price for Choice (A) cotton and 65 percent of the parity for Choice (B) cotton.

Notice of the average price is now being mailed to cotton farm operators throughout the county, according to Mr. Gunter, together with reminders of the individual farm allotments under both Choice (A) and Choice (B). The forms should be marked according to the operator's choice and then filed with the County ASC Committee not later than March 16, 1959.

If the operator does not file his choice of allotment and the law requires that the Choice (A) allotment shall be in effect on his farm.

Under Choice (B), the farm allotment is 40 percent larger and the available price support is 15 percent of parity lower than under Choice (A).

The election of a Choice (A) or Choice (B) farm allotment must be filed in writing with the County ASC Committee not later than March 16, 1959, the Chairman emphasized.

Since growers approved marketing quotas for the 1959 crop of upland in a referendum last December 15, cotton produced in excess of the chosen farm allotment will be subject to marketing quota penalties.

### WITNESSES MEETING TO BE AT PENSACOLA

The Watch Tower Bible and Tract Society of New York will sponsor a three-day circuit assembly of Jehovah's Witnesses Feb. 12-15 at Pensacola, Fla., Grotto Hall, Brent and K Streets.

The convention will have as its theme, "Be a Teacher of the Good News" and will be designed to aid the preaching fellowship of Jehovah's Witnesses in the practical side of their ministry, with emphasis on the personal attention and instruction provided through the home Bible-Study arrangement, according to Ramie Wise, presiding minister at New Brooklyn Congregation.

F. W. Wilson of New York will be the featured speaker of the event.

### BOOK GROUP TO MEET

"Gulliver's Travels," by Jonathan Swift, will be discussed by the Great Books Discussion Group Friday at 7 p.m. at the Elba Public Library.

### MASONS MEET TUESDAY

A special meeting of the Elba Masonic Lodge has been called for Tuesday, Feb. 10, at 7 p.m. with work in the Third Degree.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Kenneth Carter, 18, Rt. 1, Jack and Miss Mary Helen Whitehead, 18, Brundidge, Charles Broxton Jr., 22, Opp, and Caroline Leah Whittier, 15, Samson.

### GROUP LED BY FULTON SPURLIN URGES REPAIRS

The third floor of the Coffee County Court House, at Elba, was described as a fire trap in the final presentation of the February Grand Jury returned Tuesday before Judge Eric F. Paul.

"We feel that the third floor of the Court House, which is used for storage, is a fire-trap and needs immediate straightening out," says the report signed by Fulton Spurlin, lumberman of Elba, for the 18-man judicial body.

### Jury Members

Other members selected for Grand Jury service were: Jim Walter, farmer, Kinston; Rt. 1; H. L. Harrison, farmer, Elba; Rt. 1; Eugene King, farmer of Elba; Rt. 2; L. J. Mack, poultryman of Elba; L. Enellish, merchant of Elba; E. W. "Pop" Crosby, mechanic, Elba; William H. Prescott, manager of Coffee county Lake; Bassell W. Crook, public works, Jack Rt. 1; Wilson Mobley, public works, Jack Rt. 1; Carver Hataway, farmer, Elba; Rt. 3; Jim J. Hataway, farmer of Elba; Rt. 3; Ray Fuller, merchant of Elba; Rt. 3; Paul W. Rugg, farmer of Elba; Rt. 1; Herbert Stanton, farmer of Troy Rt. 2; Harvey Bill Daugherty, factory worker, Kinston; Robert W. Foley, farmer of Elba; J. H. Ham, farmer of Elba; Rt. 4.

### Eight Indictments

The Grand Jury reported it had examined 14 presentments and returned eight indictments all of them felonies. The report recommends repairs to the county jail, County Welfare building, leaks in the Court House roof, holes in the floor of the east witness room, window pane in the vault of the Probate Judge's office, floor in the county commissioners' office, recommended that old record books in the circuit clerk's office be rebound and indexed.

"We find that the east stairway is beginning to separate from the wall of the building, we recommend that it be repaired," it continues, and "express our appreciation to the county and city law enforcement officers for their diligence and good work in preparing presentments."

### POLIO VACCINE FREE TWO DAYS OF EACH WEEK

Effective immediately, the age group eligible to receive polio vaccine supplied to the County Health Department through the State Health Department is extended to include any child in the elementary school grades, or through age 12, whichever is later.

Approximately one-half of the children and teen-agers are not yet protected with the basic series of three inoculations. Effective protection against poliomyelitis for this year must begin in the next few weeks.

There is no change in the dosage schedule. The second dose is recommended 4 to 6 weeks after the first, and the third, which is the booster dose, should be given 7 or more months following the second inoculation.

Immunization for this age group, as well as for expectant mothers, is offered in the Health Department in Elba each Thursday from 8 to 4:30 and in Enterprise office each Tuesday from 8 to 4:30.

### LEGION TO MEET

The regular meeting of Culver Post, No. 42, American Legion and Auxiliary will be held Thursday, Feb. 5, at 7 p.m. at the Legion Hut on Troy highway.

FEBRUARY



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**Monday Thru Friday—**  
6:00—Sign On.  
6:01—Hayloft Jamboree, Country Music.  
6:30—Local News.  
6:45—Hayloft Jamboree, Country Music.  
7:00—Coffee Club, Popular Music.  
8:30—Morning Dev., Hymns.  
8:45—Public Service Program, Music.  
9:00—Mid. Morning Melodies, Popular Music.  
10:00—Musical Memories, Old Songs.  
10:30—Album Time, Outstanding Album, Gospel Favorites, Gospel Music.  
11:00—Gospel Favorites, Gospel Music.  
12:00—Hayloft Jamboree, Part 2, Country Music.  
12:15—Luncheon Melodies, Instrumental Music.  
1:00—Public Service Program, Music.  
1:15—Musical Matinee, Pop. Music.  
3:30-3:45—Club Hall of Hits, Popular and Rock and Roll.  
5:00—Sign off.  
**Saturday—**  
6:00—Sign on.  
6:01—Hayloft Jamboree, Country Music.  
7:00—Saturday In Elba, Popular Music.

## Legal Notice

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA

ELBA DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

E. N. PINCKARD, DECEASED

TO: Mary Emma Pers, J. S. Pinckard, S. H. Pinckard, Rt. 2, Milton, Florida; Malcolm Hornsby; Emma Clark; Lavada Hornsby; L. J. Hornsby; Calvin Hornsby; Gethel Pinckard; Murray Pinckard; Myrtle Wentz, Pinbne, Wisconsin; Agnes Heneker, Chattanooga, Tenn.

You are hereby notified that on the 17 day of October 1958, Mrs. Eleta Pinckard filed her petition in this court requesting that the estate of E. N. Pinckard be set aside to her as her homestead. Therefore this court appointed commissioners as is required by law to appraise the estate of the said E. N. Pinckard. On the 17 day of December 1958 the commissioners did set aside to Mrs. Eleta Pinckard as her homestead the property described in her petition herein.

Hence this court has set the 5 day of February, 1959 for a hearing on the said report of the commissioners, when and where you may appear and contest same if you think proper to do so.

Done this 9 day of January, 1959.  
J. O. ENGLISH  
Probate Judge.  
1-15, 1-22, 1-29, 2-5

STATE OF ALABAMA  
COFFEE COUNTY

Whereas Ethel Ellard and husband Shelby Ellard, executed to Elba Exchange Bank, of Elba, Alabama, on to-wit, July 12, 1958, a mortgage upon the real estate hereinafter described to secure an indebtedness described therein, said mortgage being recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate at Elba, Coffee County, Alabama, in Book of Mortgages 23-

A, pages 213 and 214, and Whereas, default has been made by mortgagors in payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage and in the performance of the terms of said mortgage:

Now, therefore, Elba Exchange Bank the mortgagee and owner of said note and mortgage, will sell under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, between 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M. on the 16th day of February, 1959, at auction, to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Court House door at Elba, Coffee County, Alabama, the real estate embraced in the said mortgage, described substantially as follows:

Lots 14-15 in Block 2 in Mulberry Heights in the City of Elba, Coffee County, Alabama. Said sale will be made for the purpose of realizing the mortgage debt, together with all expenses of this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

ELBA EXCHANGE BANK  
Mortgagee and Owner  
1-22, 1-29, 2-5

**NOTICE**  
STATE OF ALABAMA  
COFFEE COUNTY  
PROBATE COURT  
January 20, 1959  
ESTATE OF A. F. GRANT, DECEASED

This day came Corrie Grant, Executor of the Estate of A. F. Grant, deceased, and filed in this Court his account and vouchers for final settlement of said estate; and the 16th day of February, 1959, at ten o'clock A. M., having been appointed by the Court for examining, auditing and stating the same, notice is hereby given to all parties interested to appear on said day and contest the same, if they think proper.

J. O. ENGLISH  
Probate Judge.  
1-22, 1-29, 2-5

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

## FHA "SOCK HOP" SET SATURDAY AT LEGION HALL

The Elba Chapter of Future Homemakers of America met January 26, in the High School auditorium.

The president, Charlotte Vaughan, called the meeting to order. Secretary, Natalie Jones, called the roll and read the minutes.

Plans were discussed for a "Sock-Hop" the FHA will hold February 7, at the American Legion Hall. All teen agers are invited. The admission is 25c per couple or single.

Committees serving are as follows: Suzanne Hayes, chairman of the refreshment committee; Sandra Farris, Janet Warr, Henriette Dorsey, and Ella Kate Allen.

Margaret English, decorations; Judie Pearce, Rhett Ann Crook, Sue Cox and Lavena Holloway.

Chairman of the program committee is Henriette Mack; assisted by Jeanice Paul and Geraldine Jackson, and Yvonne Bryan.

Nan Spurlin, Judy Carter, Phyllis Purvis, Frankie Lou Wise, and Dianne Kirkland are in charge of admission and door prizes. Nan is chairman.

Charlotte Vaughan is in charge of the publicity. Cathy Roberts, Madelyn Brunson, Vivian Matthews and Ida Faye Mauldin assisting.

Natalie Jones is in charge of tickets, assisted by Mary Elizabeth Prescott, Patsy Boutwell, and Mary Jo Wise.

## School Amendment Proposed By Hill

Senator Lister Hill (D. Ala.) joined today in offering in the Senate a proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States vesting exclusive control of public schools in the States and their political subdivisions.

The proposed amendment provides that: "Administrative control of any public school, public educational institution, or public educational system operated by any State or by any political or other subdivision thereof, shall be vested exclusively in such State and subdivision and nothing contained in this Constitution shall be construed to deny to the residents thereof the right to determine for themselves the manner in which any such school, institution or system is administered by such State and subdivision."

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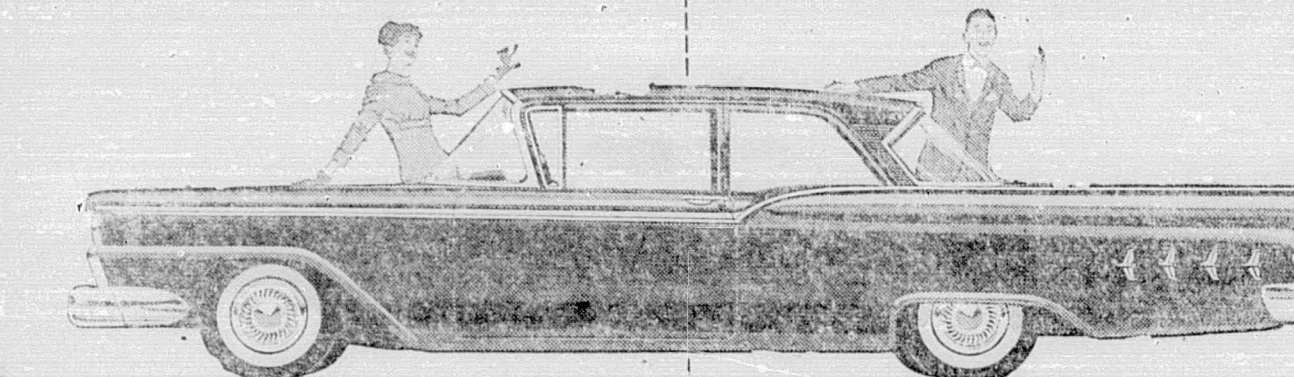
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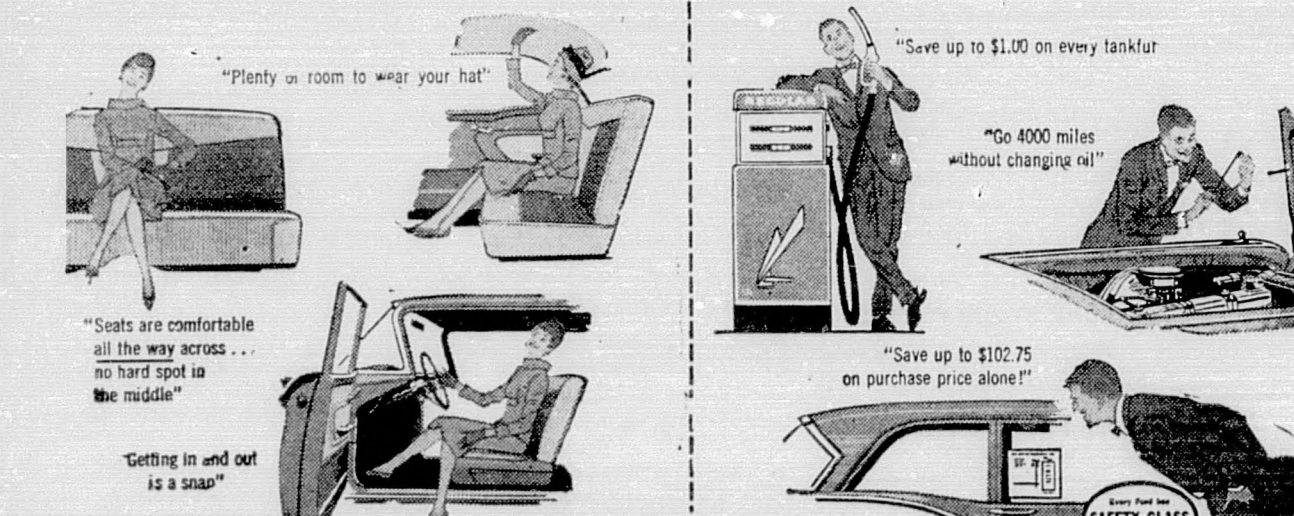
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## SOIL CONSERVATION NEWS

By T. C. Self and Joe Wildman, S.C.S.

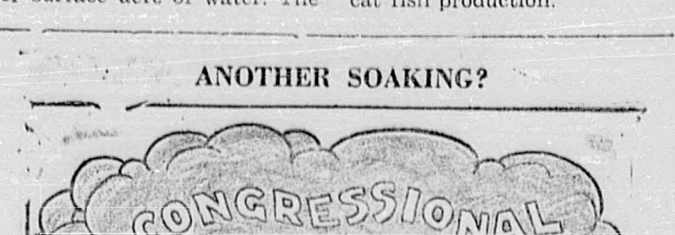
Farm ponds are profitable when they are managed well. To produce the most income and home use, they must afford good fishing year after year.

A fishpond must be stocked correctly and with the right kinds of fish if it is to provide good fishing quickly and continuously.

The State Department of Conservation provides a free and easy way to make a pond for these fish must be made through application. Proper stocking rates for new ponds are 1000 broom and 100 bass per surface acre of water. The ponds are not fished until the spring of the second year after stocking. This permits the bass to spawn during April and May.

John Glenn Lee has completed a farm pond. This pond will be managed for fish as well as providing water for a hog pen located near by. Mr. Lee plans to manage his pond for cat fish production.

Another soaking?



I'll sure need a larger umbrella!

Govt. Economy

Mother Polishes The Apple With Thrifty Applescotch Pudding



How to be America's best-loved mother in two minutes or less: shake up an applescotch pudding as an after-school snack. You'll be just as popular with Father as with the children, too, since applescotch lives up to its name by being one of the thirstiest desserts going.

Evaporated milk is the secret of both the flavor and the low cost. The creamy, double-rich milk gives a satiny texture to the dessert. (As a bonus, growing children get double nourishment for the price of evaporated milk.) Canned applesauce gives a surprise taste to the instant butterscotch pudding. And seasonal fresh apples provide the decor to make a dessert that's as sonnie (adj., Scotch-sounding) as a sonnet.

**Applescotch Pudding**  
1 can (1 1/2 cups) evaporated milk  
1/2 cup canned applesauce  
1 package butterscotch instant pudding mix  
1 quart jar or container. Cover and shake briskly for 1 minute, or until well mixed. Pour into serving dishes and chill. Garnish with thin sliced apple slices and red cinnamon candies for "sonnie". YIELD: 4 servings.

THE CHURCH FOR ALL  
ALL FOR THE CHURCH

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) For the sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

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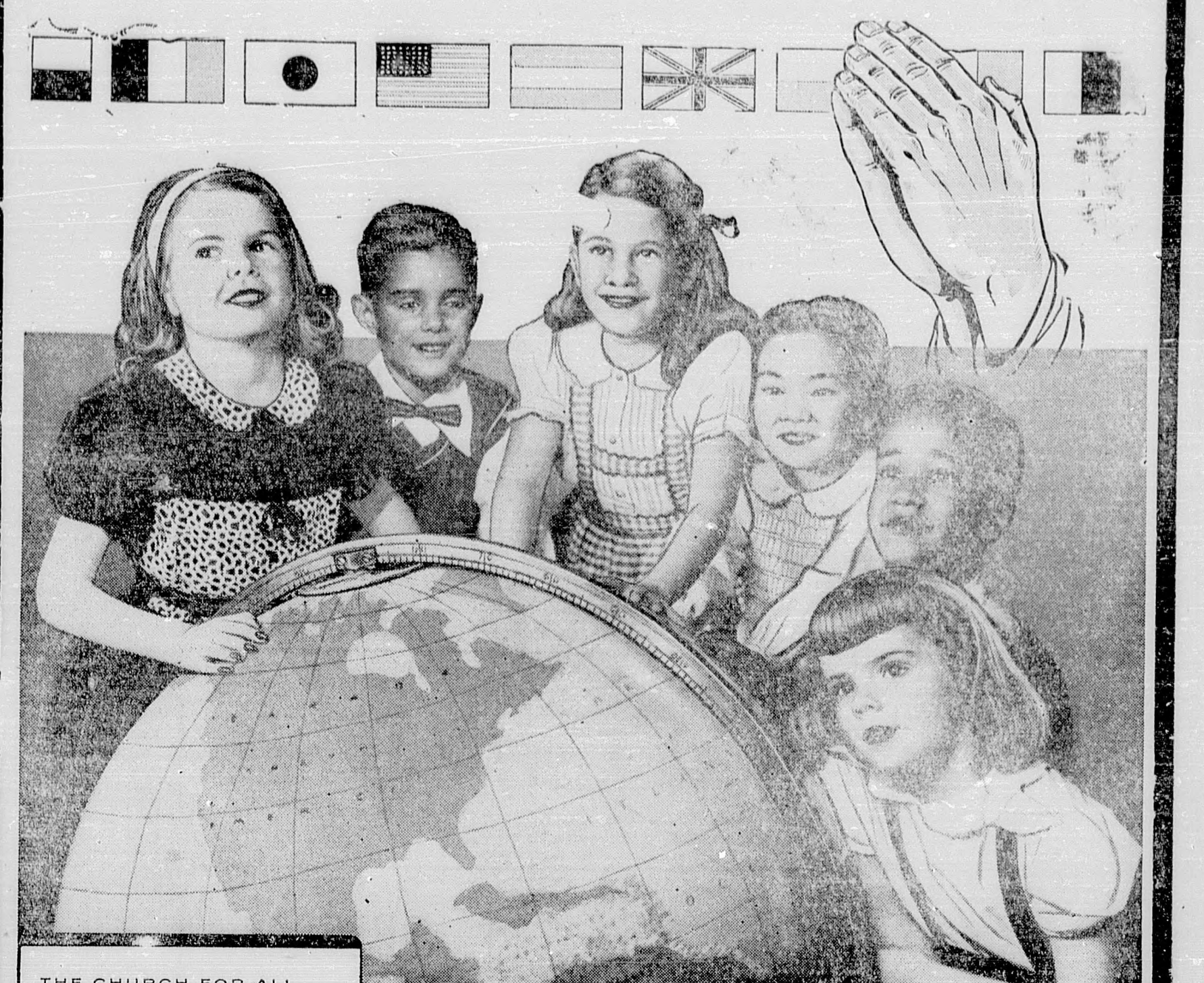
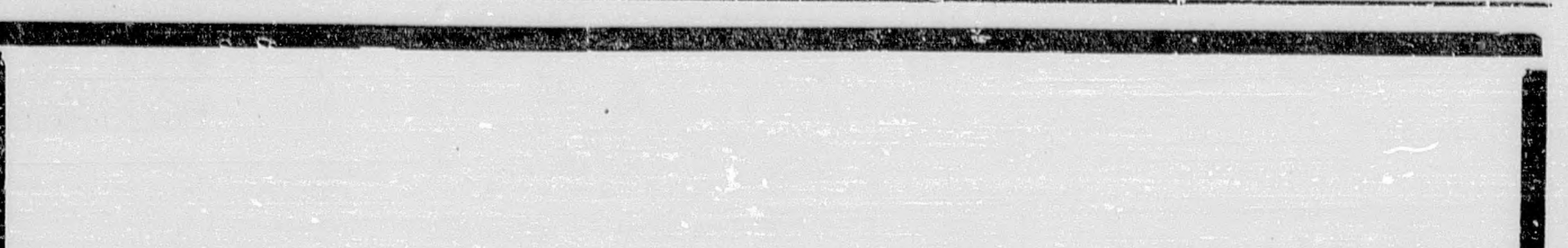
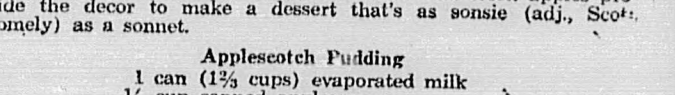
## WHO ARE THEY?

Who are these children?

Probably, you'll never know their names. The countries from which they come encircle the globe. They speak many languages. But each night, before they go to bed, they all say their prayers.

Prayer is the greatest common denominator. You can go to church in Japan or Chicago and, regardless of the language being spoken, you will find that you feel equally in communion with God.

On World Day of Prayer, join your friends and neighbors in church. Let your prayers mingle with those of other people in churches everywhere. Remember that throughout the centuries, prayer has proven itself the greatest of forces. Let it do so again!



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**4-H NEWS Round-up**  
BY TOM CASADAY • ASSISTANT COUNTY AGENT

**Pig Sale**—Coffee County 4-H Club boys as well as adults will be interested in the special feeder pig sale to be held the night of June 1 in Ozark. This is a real opportunity for 4-H club members and others to sell top quality pigs at a profit. Only top quality pigs either barrows or gilts will be accepted. Monday night, June 1 at Ozark is the date, and pigs for this sale should be born about the last of February or the first of March. Boys, send me a card if you are interested in producing pigs for this sale, and I'll send details.

**Pastures**—For the present, and possibly for years to come, we will be limited here in Coffee County on peanut and cotton acreages. In other words, we will be definitely limited on the number of acres we can plant, but we are unlimited in our opportunities for growing more cattle

and hogs and poultry. We are especially interested in cattle and hogs because we are already growing a lot of these in Coffee County.

The land not in cotton and peanuts and forestry should certainly be planted to something that will bring in money. Damascus—

At the Damascus Club meeting Monday, all club members reported projects for 1959. Those selecting gardens were: Colton Hataway, Charles Rogers, Douglas Rogers, George Johnson, James Timi and Douglas Ellis. Boys selecting pig projects were: Colton Hataway, Gerald Mauldin, Boyce Mook, Jimmy Hataway, Wayne Smith, and Joe Windham. Bart Borek and Douglas Weeks selected poultry. Those with Beef Calf projects are: Colton Hataway, Tommy Barefoot, Ricky Danford and Ronnie Davis. Jimmy Hataway plans to have corn, a demonstration in addition.

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**FOR SALE**  
BAR-B-Q \$100—Plate served at Coffee County Lake Saturday, Feb. 7, sponsored by The Deep South Fox Hunters Assn. Beginning at 5 p.m. There will be plenty for all. W. H. Prescott.

**FOR SALE**—Letter files, \$1.50; expanding files, bill size, \$1.25; Gem clips 10¢; 1 oz. boxes rubber bands 5¢; letter size manila file folders 5¢; also journal sheets, ledger sheets, money receipt books, index cards and guides. The Elba Clipper.

**FOR SALE**—Five room house with bath on Hickman Avenue, known as Bozeman house. Call TW 7-6115.

**FOR SALE**—Extra clean 1955 Chev., 1/2-ton pickup. Overhauled, painted, new seat covers. Metal floor in truck body. Metcalf Tractor Co., Inc., Enterprise, Ala.

**FOR SALE**—Cocker Spaniel puppies. Both males and females. Can be seen any time at Clayton Metcalf's, 408 N. Davis St., Enterprise, Ala. TW 7-5290.

**FOR SALE**—For the best buy in a Used Tractor, see Metcalf Tractor Co., in Enterprise, Ala. dealer for Ford Tractors and equipment.

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**'Behold Your King' Playlet Given By Methodists**

A playlet entitled "Behold Your King," based on the book of Isaiah, was presented by members of the Susannah Wesley Circle at a combined meeting of the Methodist W.S.C.S. Monday evening, January 26.

The characters were portrayed by Mrs. Stokes Haire, Mrs. Robert Marshall, Mrs. Oliver Williams, Mrs. Robert Cannon, Mrs. Marshall Ringdorf, Mrs. Deal, Mrs. John Garrett, Mrs. Eva Easters, Mrs. Robert Marshall, Mrs. Oliver Williams, Mrs. Stokes Haire, Mrs. James Devane, Mrs. Arlen Brown, Mrs. Bob Cannon, Mrs. Marshall Ringdorf, Mrs. George Kennedy and the hostesses.

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**Second Birthday At Williams Home Is Observed**

On January 23, at thirty-three in the afternoon Master Michael Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Williams, celebrated his second birthday.

The youngsters gathered around a beautifully decorated table to see the miniature football field atop the birthday cake. Mrs. Walter Smith and Mrs. Arlen Brown helped to entertain the guests and distributed buns, balloons, and candy filled baskets to the following:

Tans Brown, Warren Blinn, Nancy and Steve Hendricks, Mark Manning, Judy Manning, Johnny McClellan, Melonie McClellan, Jennifer and Jamella Moore, Richard Clark and Sandra Clark.

The Naval Research Laboratory employs a radio tracking system as "Minitrack" to track the earth-circling satellite.

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is the size of a Government Post Card, by actual measurement. To mail this card to 1,000 families would cost \$30.00 for the card and postage alone. To print a message on the back would cost, on the average, \$7.50 per thousand. Addressing would cost another \$5.00 per thousand.

That's a total of \$42.50 to send a postcard advertisement to a thousand families.

Yet this space in The Elba Clipper costs a regular advertiser only \$6.30. It reaches almost twice as many families. That advertiser's money helps The Elba Clipper to serve a subscriber at only a fraction of the cost of a subscription if the newspaper had no advertising.

To sum up: The advertisement reaches more people at one-seventh the cost and the advertiser serves every subscriber because he enables The Elba Clipper to supply the news at less cost.

# THE ELBA CLIPPER

## From Our Early Files

22 YEARS AGO

The Elba Parent-Teacher Association met in the High School auditorium Tuesday with Mrs. L. P. Mullins, president, presiding.

Minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. H. Jeter, secretary. Mrs. W. J. Hughes gave the scripture reading. Mrs. Thomas Ward discussed "Creative Thinking." The meeting was dismissed by Mr. George Bradley.

The Young People's Division of the Elba Methodist Church will have charge of the regular Sunday evening and have invited a number of colored people to take part in the program. Among this group will be members of the chorus of the Coffee County Training School of Enterprise, S. T. Wilson, principal of the Elba Colored High School, and Lillie Wilson, Jeanes, Supervisor of the county.

The Old Blue Hotel building, one of the landmarks of the city, will be moved to the west side of the block on which it is located. Preparatory work has already started. The building will be modernized and used for a hotel or apartment building.

F. P. Clark, of the Elba Oil Company, recently purchased the property and expects to build a modern service station on the site.

At the regular meeting of the Elba Chamber of Commerce plans were made for the reorganization of the county for the American Red Cross. Miss Mary Parr, field representative from National Headquarters in Washington, D. C., was present and spoke to the Chamber.

J. M. Garrett was elected county chairman to succeed Dr. C. P. Hayes, who has served in that capacity for the past several years. The new chairman appointed the following Roll-Call Committee: Doder S. Bryan, P. G. Mathis, and R. C. Bryan.

Mrs. Sam Bean Young, delightfully entertained members of the Past Time Rook Club in

the home of Mrs. Baxter Bryan. Three tables were arranged for the games in the living room, which was attractively decorated.

After a series of progressions of rock, Mrs. Young assisted by Mrs. Bryan, served refreshments to the following: Mrs. Dan Prescott, Mrs. Frank Blair, Mrs. George Collier, Mrs. T. T. Rhodes, Mrs. F. P. Clark, Mrs. Gordon Prescott, Mrs. J. W. English, Mrs. J. O. English, Mrs. John Bonneau, Mrs. James English, and two guests, Mrs. Morgan Windham and Mrs. W. C. Braswell.

Obie Pugh 17, was almost instantly killed in Opp Thursday night while walking on the Annandale Highway on the outskirts of Opp, according to State Highway Patrolman Raymond Carlton, who said officers were seeking the driver of a truck which fled the scene of the accident. Frank Lockhart, also of Opp, is under treatment for a broken leg received at the time the truck struck young Pugh.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Timmerman, Mrs. Fred Harper, Mrs. F. P. Clark, Mrs. C. P. Hayes, Mrs. George Collier, Mrs. J. C. Fleming and Mrs. Johnson were members of the Elba delegation that attended the annual meeting of the Coffee County Baptist W. M. U. Association in New Brockton last Wednesday.

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## Through the Keyhole

BY MRS. ROBERT CANNON

THE HILL has been a place of beauty lately, making us glad again that our home is here, snuggled down among the pines in which last week's winds roared like the gulf. Early mornings find the grey fog rising to reveal leading glimpses of the valley below and the trunks of trees whose tops are hung with ribbons of silver mist.

Driving home in the early evening, one finds buildings and bare-limbed trees that are black against the harsh orange of the sunset in a Hallows picture manner. And later when darkness has settled, the red lights on conveyors of Fort Rucker helicopters keep from along the edge of the woods, looking like Christmas fireflies. We invite you to come up and enjoy it with us.

LOOKING LIKE PICTURE BOOK illustrations in their soft flannel pajamas and wearing cherubic expressions, Charlotte and Susan Stanford completely charmed us. A year's absence had seen them quite grown up but still bubbling over with personality.

Becky and Wiley drove from Pine Apple with their two to spend last weekend with Helen and Lamar Rainer. And how grand to see them again! Made us realize all over again how nice it was when the Stanfords were a part of our life.

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ON A RECENT Saturday we enjoyed a visit from Mrs. John B. Johnson of Curtis. She told us that social activities have been plentiful lately in her community with parties being given for brides and visitors. Regretted that we were unable to send Mrs. Johnson home as graciously as she did us on our visit to her house. Mr. Johnson literally loaded down our station wagon with vegetables from his garden when we last visited them.

THE MUSIC was Enchanting last Saturday when the Troy State College orchestra, the Wavemen played for the Senior Prom at the community center.

at Enterprise. We were particularly interested in the orchestra since Erskine Ziglar and Richard Head are members. Indeed, Erskine is manager of all the arrangements. Director, of course, is Jim Patrons. The seniors were quite enthusiastic about the whole affair and danced until the wee hours.

NO part of benefit payments from Social Security can be waived by veterans or their widows who must meet certain income limitations to be eligible for non-service connected disability or death pension from the Veterans Administration.

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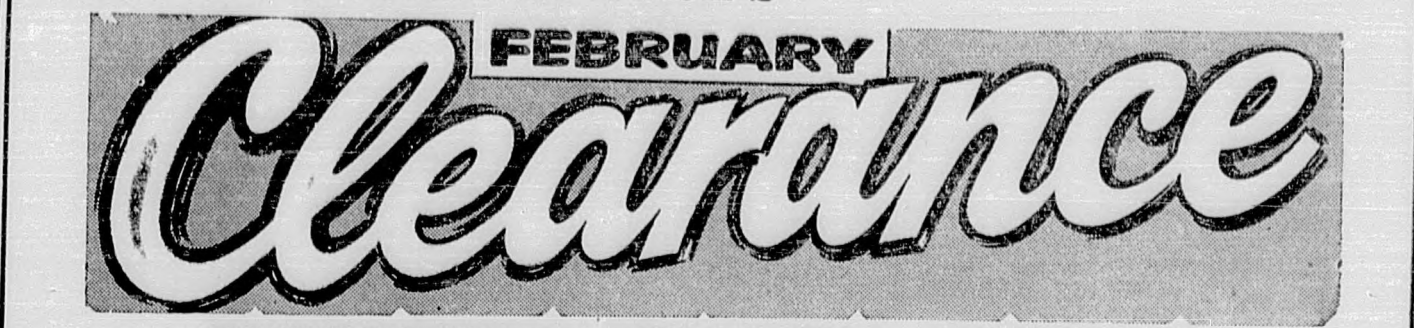
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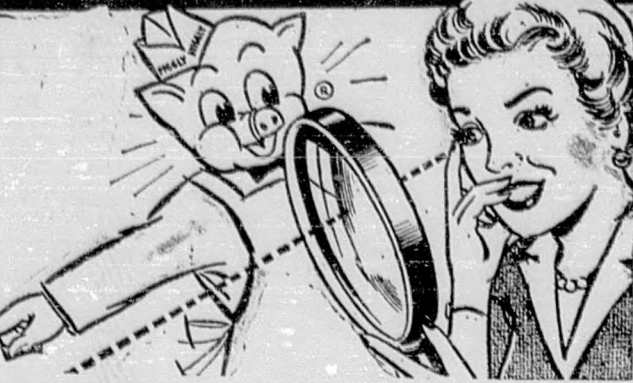
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## Personals

Mrs. Tobe Rhodes went to Decatur to see Mr. and Mrs. Houghton Ben Larkins and family for several days last week. Major and Mrs. Vanblaricum of Fort Walton Beach, Fla., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Hainer Sr. and Mrs. Grace Waters was in Geneva recently on business. Miss Nancy Carnley has returned to Judson College after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fleetwood Carnley. Mr. Ed Rudd has returned from a business trip to Decatur.

Mrs. Young continues to improve after undergoing surgery at Gibson hospital in Enterprise.

## NEW HOME CLUB MEETS; AFFAIRS DISCUSSED HERE

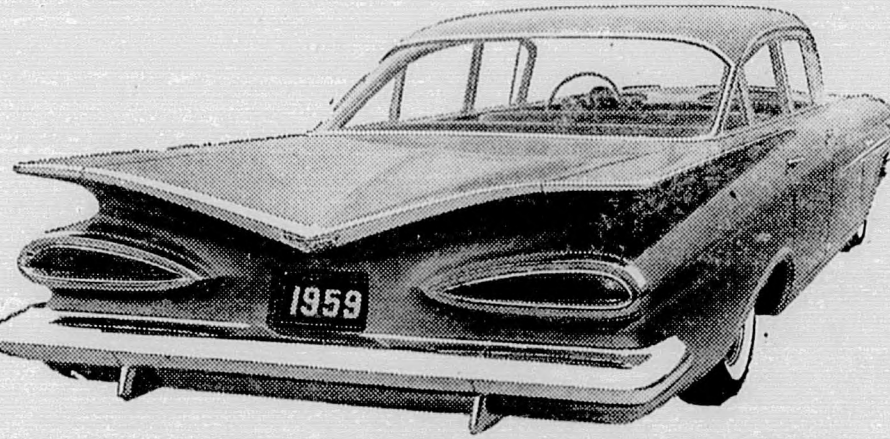
By Mrs. Sara E. Hutchinson  
New Club Organized—A home demonstration club was recently organized in Elba. The organizational meeting was held at Mrs. James Clark's. These are the 1959 officers: President, Mrs. James Clark; Vice President, Mrs. George Ford; Secretary, Mrs. W. P. Windham; Parliamentarian, Mrs. J. Z. Scott; Treasurer, Mrs. Elmer Taylor. The club members voted to meet on the second Tuesday at 8:00 o'clock. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. J. Z. Scott, and a demonstration on landscaping will be given. Those present were: Mrs. James Clark; Mrs. George Ford; Mrs. W. P. Windham; Mrs. J. Z. Scott; Mrs. Elmer Taylor; Mrs. Evelyn Folsom; Mrs. Flourney Whitman; Mrs. Edward Stager; Mrs. Gardner Clark; Mrs. Robert E. Mason; and Mrs. J. P.

more for each meeting are: Camp Ground, Tabern, Wilkes, Mt. Pleasant, Calvary, Key Lane, Rhodes, Kinston and Mt. Gilead. If we have overlooked any 100 percent members or clubs which averaged more than 10 per cent, let us know. Club attendance recognition during January goes to Lee, Camp Ground, Tabern, Kinston, Key Line and Wilkes. New members at Tabern are Mrs. E. R. Rhaten and Mrs. Bell Ham; Mt. Gilead, Mrs. Tullis Lolley; and Lee, Mrs. Lammie Grantham.

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## J. J. Moore Named Coffee Democratic Chairman

### H. A. DORSEY IS CHAIRMAN HERE OF HEART DRIVE

Henry A. Dorsey has accepted the post as chairman for Coffee County of the annual heart drive waged by the Alabama Heart Association against the state's No. 1 killer, heart disease, which will reach a climax Feb. 22 with Heart Sunday.

Mr. Dorsey visited the Elba schools Monday with messages about heart disease and what everyone can do about it and asked that all donations be sent either direct to him or to Dr. J. D. Whitman at Whitman Drug Co.

Governor John Patterson officially proclaimed Heart Sunday for Feb. 22, Maj. Gen. Walter J. (Crack) Hanna, of Birmingham, is state chairman of the Heart Fund Appeal and Lt. Col. Richard Brooks, Montgomery, is co-chairman.

Col. Brooks said that \$84,874.44 has been budgeted for heart research in 1958-59 by the Alabama Heart Association and that \$80,000.00 is earmarked for work at the University of Alabama Medical Center.

On Heart Sunday volunteers in counties throughout the state will call families to seek support for the research, education and service programs.

### BAND CONCERT TO BE MONDAY; BOOSTERS MEET

The Elba High School Band will hold the spotlight at two meetings next week at the Elba High School.

A concert will be presented Monday, Feb. 16, at 7:30 p.m. under direction of Director Robert Hall with music by many composers, the proceeds to go into a fund being raised to buy band uniforms.

A meeting of the Band Boosters Club will be held Tuesday, Feb. 17, at 7 p.m. at the school lunchroom with refreshments followed by a program. President John Kendrick urged every member of the club to be present to discuss renewed efforts to raise approximately \$1,000 to buy new uniforms to replace the present eight-year old uniforms.

The Baptist Brotherhood gave a dinner at the church last week for members of the band in appreciation of their outstanding record.

### Culver Post Hears County Commander

Culver Post, No. 42, American Legion, was warned at its meeting last week by Coffee County Commander Newsome that organized groups are working against veterans in efforts to deprive them and their families of benefits and added that "any veteran who does not recognize this is fooling himself". He said the best way to combat these efforts is to join and support the American Legion.

Commander James Boswell authorized Harold Hudson and a committee composed of Edwin L. Johnson, George Ford and Robert King to hold the first of a series of weekly card parties next Thursday, Feb. 19, at the Legion Hut.

A Bar-B-Q with entertainment and a visiting speaker was planned for the Legion Hut Saturday, March 14.

In 1934 the world's first radar apparatus was developed at the Naval Research Laboratory.

### MARRIED 50 YEARS



MR. AND MRS. T. T. SIMPLER observe their Golden Wedding Anniversary next Sunday, February 15, at their home with a reception from 2 to 4 p.m. They have invited all their friends.

### W. L. BRUNSON IS PAID HONORS IN SALES CONTEST

Saturday, Feb. 7, the field force and personnel of National Coffee Insurance Company attended a Bar-B-Q dinner in honor of their President's birthday, W. L. Brunson.

The agents, superintendents, and managers have been competing for the past month, on insurance sales. The contest was held to show appreciation to Mr. Brunson for his loyalty to the employees and personnel of National Security, and his leadership to the corporation.

J. R. Brunson acted as MC for the meeting, which lasted from 10 until noon.

A presentation of plaques was made to Mr. Brunson with the names of the agent, superintendents, and manager, who had the greatest increase of sales. The leading agent was Stella Dunham, superintendent was Mahaley Barber, and manager was T. W. Butler, all from the Andalusia district.

J. R. Brunson presented W. L. Brunson with a portrait of himself, painted by Mr. Yutemeyer of Montgomery. A small reproduction of the picture was presented to every agent to be hung in their district office.

### ELBA'S KELLEY HOLDS SECOND IN LOOP SCORES

Elba's Britt Kelley jumped into second place in South Alabama Conference scoring this week with 171 points in team games for a 1.1 average, just behind Hinton Butler of Andalusia who had 187 points for an average of 18.7 points a game.

Following in order of number of points scored are Glendens of Troy, Elmore of Andalusia, W. Johnson of Ozark, Colquhoun of Opp, Thigpen of Greenville, Penn of Lurven, H. Johnson of Ozark, Cotter of Enterprise, Ryland of Hartford, and Byrd of Hartford.

Conference team standings are as follows:

Team	Won	Lost
Andalusia	8	2
Troy	8	3
Elba	7	3
Greenville	6	4
Enterprise	6	4
Lurven	6	4
Opp	6	4
Florida	3	7
Evergreen	1	8
Georgia	0	9

### Damascus 4-H Club Sees Dress Films

Damascus 4-H Club members saw a series of dress films at the club meeting Monday, Feb. 2, Dona Hataway called the meeting to order. Rachel Dunn led in a pledge to the American 4-H Club flags. Carolyn Moore read the devotion, and Mavis Tidwell called the roll and read the minutes.

The members were shown some film strips about dresses.

### OBITUARIES

#### MRS. LUCILLE WITHERINGTON

Mrs. Lucille Tate Witherington, 43, of Glenwood, died in a Troy hospital Monday, Feb. 9. She is survived by her husband, R. D. Witherington of Glenwood; three sons, Willie D. Robert J., and Larry Witherington, all of Glenwood; two daughters, Minnie S. and Mily R. Witherington, both of Glenwood; four brothers, Mary Take of Lurven, Travis Tate of Homestead, Fla.; Edward Tate of Glenwood; Earl Tate of Goshen; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Tate Shirley of Montgomery, and Mrs. Hazel Tate Polmar of Goshen.

Funeral services were held Tuesday from the Glenwood Baptist Church with burial in the Providence cemetery.

Also participating in the AA Tourney will be Opp, Georgia; Dothan fourth, Troy fifth, Enterprise sixth, Ozark seventh, and Elba eighth for the second time between L. R. Killebrew, of Ino, and Attorney Jackson W. Stokes of Elba, recent representative to the state legislature.

At the first organization meeting Jan. 24, Mr. Killebrew, chairman the past year, and Mr. Stokes tied 9-9 with four members absent. A second meeting was called for last Saturday and Mr. Killebrew and Mr. Stokes tied 10-10 with two members absent.

Mr. Stokes arose at this point and withdrew from the running followed by the placement. Mr. Moore's name in nomination by James Goshen of Rocky Head. Mr. Moore was elected unanimously with seven members not voting.

Pittman Secretary After Mr. Moore was elected chairman, Mr. Stokes was elected vice-chairman to fill the post left vacant by Mr. Moore. Joe Pittman of Enterprise was elected secretary to succeed O. V. Rhodes of Kinston, Route 1, at the previous meeting.

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